

RESOLUTION NO. 2004-30

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING  
THE HIRING OF A TEMPORARY DOCKET CLERK TO ASSIST  
IN THE MANAGEMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL  
ABATEMENT PROGRAM LITIGATION AND  
APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THIS POSITION

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WHEREAS, with the City Attorney's Office undertaking the management of the Environmental Abatement Program litigation until such time as the City Council hires an environmental law firm, it is imperative that all documents regarding any and all PCE/TCE litigation be docketed and accounted for; and

WHEREAS, Kronick Moskovitz Tiedemann & Girard has offered one of its Docket Clerks to perform the services at a rate of \$24.00 per hour plus travel expenses. As such, the item does not include benefits or a new temporary or permanent position. The budgeted amount is based on the assumption that the clerk will work three days per week for four to five months; and

WHEREAS, staff respectfully requests that the City Council authorize hiring a temporary Docket Clerk on a contract basis to assist with the PCE/TCE litigation and appropriate funds in the amount of \$5,000.00 for this expense.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorize the hiring of a temporary Docket Clerk at a cost of \$24.00 per hour to assist with the Environmental Abatement Program litigation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that funds in the amount of \$5,000.00 be appropriated from the Wastewater fund to cover this expense.

Dated: February 18, 2004

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2004-30 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held February 18, 2004, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Beckman, Howard, Land, and Mayor Hansen

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



SUSAN J. BLACKSTON  
City Clerk